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NEWS RELEASE**



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KOTZEBUE COMMERCIAL SALMON FISHING OPENING**

Commercial salmon fishing will be open for 6 hours from 8 p.m. Monday, July 22 until 2 a.m. Tuesday, July 23 in the Kotzebue District.

Catch during Monday night's 6-hour opening was 5,585 chum salmon by 33 permit holders. The cumulative catch over 42,000 chum salmon.

If you have any questions concerning the fishery you can call the Kotzebue office at 442-3420, or the Commercial Fisheries office in Nome at 1-800-560-2271 or the buyer at 442-4192.